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12 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
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14 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

15 VOTING RIGHTS DEFENSE PROJECT, et
16 al.,

17 Plaintiffs,

18 v.

19 ALEX PADILLA, et al.,

20 Defendants.
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Case No. C-16-02739

DECLARATION OF GABRIELLE DOLPHIN

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23 I, GABRIELLE DOLPHIN, declare:

24 1. I am a resident in the County of Alameda, California.

25 2. I have been trained as a poll worker and a poll worker judge in the County of the
26 Alameda. At a training during the last month, we went over the procedures about
27 how to conduct the vote properly. On the issue of crossover voters, we were given
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1 direction about whether or not to inform the NPP voter of the right to request a
2 Presidential ballot. In passing, it was mentioned that if the voter requested a
3 Presidential ballot, we could give it to them.

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- 5 3. I have been provided with no direction at any time from either county officials or the
6 secretary of state about whether or not to inform the NPP voter of the right to request
7 a Presidential ballot.
- 8 4. Pages 44 and 47 are the only reference that I can find in the clerk's training manual, a
9 copy of which is attached as Exhibit 1. The problem is that no clear direction was
10 provided there on p. 44 as to whether or not we request it or the voter asks for it. At
11 p. 47 there is no reference to requesting the voter about the crossover ballot in the
12 intake procedure regarding the ballot.
- 13 5. Under the circumstances of my training, it appears that the poll workers in Alameda
14 County are free to decide for themselves whether or not to inform the NPP voter of
15 the right to request a Presidential ballot.
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17 I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct and of my own
18 personal knowledge. Executed on May 27, 2016, in Alameda County, California.

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